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Docket No. 210577US05434

IN RE APPLICATION OF: MITSUROU SHIHARA, et al.

SERIAL NO: 09/892,485

FILED: June 28, 2001

FOR: METHOD FOR DETECTING ENDOCRINE DISRUPTING ACTION OF A TEST SUBSTANCE

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231

SIR:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment and request for reconsideration w/attached marked-up copy in the above-identified application.

No additional fee is required  
 Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §1.9 and §1.27 is claimed.  
 Additional documents filed herewith:

"RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136  
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The Fee has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS	CLAIMS REMAINING		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID	NO. EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	CALCULATIONS
TOTAL	37	MINUS	47	0	x \$18 =	\$0.00
INDEPENDENT	2	MINUS	11	0	x \$84 =	\$0.00
		<input type="checkbox"/> MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS			+ \$280 =	\$0.00
					TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS	\$0.00
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 If these papers are not considered timely filed by the Patent and Trademark Office, then a petition is hereby made under 37 C.F.R. §1.136, and any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 for any necessary extension of time may be charged to Deposit Account No. 15-0030. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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